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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: January 15, 2008

In re the Application of

Toru NOGUCHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1771

Application No.: 10/821,175

Examiner: E. COLE

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Docket No.: 127794

For: CARBON FIBER COMPOSITE MATERIAL AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE
SAME

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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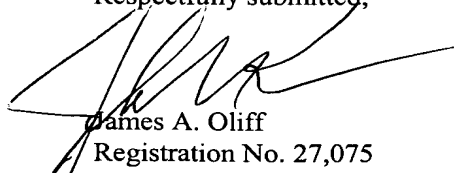
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